

2008 MEDIATION WEEK ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS

Weeklong Activities

The Los Angeles Superior Court is announcing and unveiling a series of video vignettes that it produced to help litigants understand and participate in mediation and other ADR processes. Seven short video clips provide an overview of the benefits of ADR, tips on preparing for ADR, and demonstrations of the four most common court ADR processes for civil cases.

[Los Angeles Superior Court ADR Website](#) (Click on ADR Information)

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The Mendocino Superior Court will display a large Mediation Week banner and an enlarged copy of the Judicial Council's Mediation Week resolution in its Courthouse lobby, display a Mediation Week banner on its Website, and issue a press release regarding Mediation Week.

Courthouse lobby
100 North State Street
Ukiah, CA

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The Monterey Superior Court will display a Mediation Week banner and host an informational table in its courthouse lobby. Mediators and court staff will be present to answer questions and distribute pamphlets.

Courthouse lobby
1200 Aguajito Rd
Monterey, CA

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The Orange County Superior Court's Harbor Justice Center, North Justice Center, and West Justice Center will show local appreciation for Dispute Resolution Program Act (DRPA) mediators all week by displaying a Banner and providing cookies.

Harbor Justice Center
23141 Moulton Pkwy.
Laguna Hills, CA

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North Justice Center
1275 N. Berkeley Ave.
Fullerton, CA

West Justice Center
8141 13th Street
Westminster, CA

The Stanislaus Superior Court will display mediation posters, in English and Spanish, air short radio spots about mediation, and distribute pens and water bottles that promote its mediation program at events throughout the week.

Stanislaus Superior Court and
Stanislaus State University

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Saturday, March 15

11:00 a.m.
Central Valley

Mediation Week will be announced during the program *Hablando Con Nuestra Gente* ("Talking with our People") on Azteca TV, a local Spanish station.

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Monday, March 17

12:30–1:30 p.m. Santa Ana	The Orange County Superior Court will hold a Mediation Appreciation Reception for its Dispute Resolution Program Act (DRPA) mediators on Monday, March 17th at the Central Justice Center from 12:30 pm to 1:30 pm. Judicial officers will make presentations and light refreshments will be provided.	Central Justice Center 700 Civic Center Dr. West Santa Ana, CA	Virginia Davidow Court Administrator 714.834.3574 vdavidow@occourts.org
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Tuesday, March 18

12:55 p.m.	The Stanislaus Superior Court will conduct a Mock Mediation with students in a criminal justice class at Stanislaus State University on Tuesday, March 18, at 12:55 pm. A question and answer session and distribution of informational materials will follow.	Stanislaus State University	Karen Camper ADR Coordinator 209-525-6303 karen.camper@stanct.org
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Wednesday, March 19

Noon Modesto	The Stanislaus Superior Court will host an in-house luncheon to recognize its Family Law Mediators on Wednesday, March 19.	Stanislaus Superior Court	Karen Camper ADR Coordinator 209-525-6303 karen.camper@stanct.org
3:00 – 5:00 p.m. Los Angeles	The Los Angeles Superior Court will hold a ceremony to recognize outstanding volunteers on its civil, civil harassment, family law non-custody, and probate mediation panels.	Stanley Mosk Courthouse 111 North Hill St. Room 222 Los Angeles, CA	Julie L. Bronson ADR Administrator 213-974-0558 jbronson@lasuperiorcourt.org
4:00 – 5:00 p.m. Monterey	The Monterey Superior Court will host a recognition ceremony and reception on Wednesday March 19th in the afternoon. The Presiding Judge and/or Assistant Presiding Judge and Judge Kingsley will speak and certificates of appreciation will be presented to approximately 30 family law, civil, and private mediators who assist the Court. Light refreshments will be served.	Monterey Courthouse 1200 Aguajito Road, Courtroom 14 Monterey, CA	Lenor McLaughlin Director Court Operations, Civil and Family Law (831) 647-5830 lenor.mclaughlin@monterey.courts.ca.gov
4:00 – 5:00 p. m. Fairfield	The Solano Superior Court will hold an open house at its new Civil Mediation Center. The court will show guests its new center and discuss the services that it offers to the citizens of Solano County.	Hall of Justice Second Floor 600 Union Ave. Fairfield, CA	Pam Moraida Court Program Manager 707-207-7330 pmoraida@solanocourts.com

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Thursday, March 20

**11:30 a.m. –
1:30 p.m.
Orange**

The Orange County Superior Court 's Family Court Services (FCS) will host an appreciation breakfast for court mediators on Thursday, March 20. The Supervising Judge, Francisco Firmat, will present each with a certificate of appreciation.

Lamoreaux Justice Center
341 The City Drive
Room 507
Orange, CA

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FCS will also host an open house for the local bar, general public, and judicial officers from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. on March 20. The open house will include a tour of the department, a PowerPoint overview of FCS and its services, a short video clip used in parent education classes, and a mock mediation. Informational and educational materials will be distributed.

**12:00 – 1:00 p.m.
San Francisco**

The San Francisco Superior Court will hold an informational event showcasing the court's mediation programs. The Hon. James McBride, Assistant Presiding Judge, will make the opening remarks and acknowledge the mediators' contributions to the court and community. The court's Probate, Family Court Services, Civil ADR, and Self Represented Litigants mediation programs will each present information about their work and will have staff available to answer questions. Light refreshments will be served.

Civic Center Court House
4th Floor Rotunda
400 McAllister Street
San Francisco, CA

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**Noon
Modesto**

The Stanislaus Superior Court will host in-house luncheon to recognize its collaborators at the Stanislaus County Mediation Center on Thursday, March 20.

Stanislaus Superior Court

**3:00 p.m.
Modesto**

The Stanislaus Superior Court will host a reception at the courthouse on Thursday, March 20, at 3:00 p.m. A highly successful mediator and respected civil attorney will discuss the benefits of mediation for unlimited civil cases. Packets that contain local ADR informational sheets, forms, and rules, a list of the court's mediation panel, and a brochure outlining the benefits of mediation will be distributed. (Please RSVP)

Stanislaus Superior Court
Jury Assembly Room
800 11th Street
Modesto, CA

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